

MINUTES OF THE LAFAYETTE COMMON COUNCIL
November 2, 2009
REGULAR MEETING

The Common Council of the City of Lafayette, Indiana met in regular session on Monday November 2, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, 20 North 6th Street, Lafayette, Indiana.

President Steve Meyer called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given to the flag of our Country.

The following members were present:

Present: Heide, Klinker, Campbell, Cornstuble, Brown, Novak, Weast-Williamson, Downing and Meyer.

The City Clerk stated that there was a quorum present.

City Clerk Cindy Murray and City Attorney Ed Chosnek were present.

Councilman Campbell moved to approve the minutes from the October 5, 2009 regular council meeting and the October 20, 2009 Special Meeting. Councilman Brown seconded. The motion passed by unanimous voice vote.

The Clerk stated that there were no Claims, Petitions or Communications.

The Clerk stated the following reports are available in the City Clerk's Office:

Clerks Office Monthly-September 2009

Police Department Monthly-September 2009

Fleet Maintenance Department Monthly-September 2009

Water Works Department Monthly-September 2009

Water Pollution Control Department Monthly-September 2009

Ordinances for Second Reading:

The Clerk read Ordinance 2009-25 (An Ordinance to Amend Amended Ordinance 2008-24 An Ordinance Fixing the Salaries of the Appointed Officers and Employees of the City of Lafayette, Indiana, for the Year 2009, Excluding the Sworn Protective Occupation and Law Enforcement Members of the Police and Fire Departments) by title only on second and final reading. Councilman Campbell moved for passage, Councilwoman Novak seconded. Mayor Roswarski spoke regarding the change. Ordinance 2009-25 passed 8-0 on a roll call vote on second and final reading.

No Ordinances for First Reading.

Resolutions:

The Clerk read Resolution 2009-15 (A Resolution Setting the 2010 Common Council Calendar of Meetings) by title only on first and final reading. Councilwoman Weast-Williamson moved for passage, Councilman Downing seconded. Resolution 2009- passed 8-0 on a roll call vote on first and final reading.

No Reports of Standing Committees.

No Reports of Special Committees.

No Report by the Mayor.

Miscellaneous and New Business: Belinda Kiger, City Forester stated that the City of Lafayette/Tree Fund received an award from the Indiana Urban Forest Council's 18th Annual Conference, for the Twyckenham Blvd Project as the 2009 Outstanding Project of the Year.

Arlan Stavnhelm 1621 Skyline Road gave an overview of the award and presented a plaque to Mayor Roswarski for the city.

Public Comment:

Pearl Speakman, 923 So. 22nd Street commented on a tree obstructing a sign on Creasy Lane. Suggested the councilpersons take a drive thru his neighborhood and look at the properties.

Perry Barbee, 1714 Union Street commented on the Councilperson's attendance.

Councilman Campbell moved to adjourn Councilman Weast-Williamson seconded. Meeting adjourned at 7:17 pm

Minutes prepared by Cindy Murray, City Clerk

Complete audio of meeting available in the City Clerks office or at www.lafayette.in.gov